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THE TIMES.

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FARMVILLE.

"Hello central! What's the news in Farmville," "Don't know none," and if central don't know any Farmville news how can you correspondent hope to? This I know, that the force at our warehouse is to be retained in status, as tobacco is crowding in and commanding fine prices, and then, the farmers are happy too as they come and go with wads in their pockets instead of loans to bear, and of course the merchants are in good humor, as when money circulates they are sure of their share of it. And what shall I write of the bankers, as they look upon new accounts opening, new loans and large dividends for the future. They are seldom dissatisfied. Speaking of banks I am reminded of the last report if the First National Bank and discounts, $620,258.28. That is a good big amount of money and yet when this bank opened its doors a few years ago, some people were heard to say that they saw no necessity for it. But now we all see the wonderful article of commerce, sad to say and yet it is true that tobacco and chicky are Farmville's best money makers. But men will chew and smoke and spit and drink. So long as this is true, "booze" and "backer" are hurt to down.

The secret of "Uncle Billy" Warings ability to forecast the weather has leaked out. Recently he has been able with an exactitude not equalled by the best barometer to tell his neighbors twenty-four and sometimes thirty-six hours ahead what weather to expect. His predictions have been of great benefit to farmers. Now it is learned that he gets his tips from his two pigs. In dry weather the tails of the pigs have one curl, in wet wea ther two curls and just before a rain their tails hang limp.

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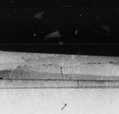

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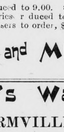

Many farmers will feed their stock and nourishing food as they can possibly assimilate, yet will starve their crops on the mistaken notion that they are "economizing" on fertilizer. The experiences of farmers, government experts, and agriculturalists everywhere confirm the fact that their plants, like animals, need the fullest possible amount of nourishment that they can obtain if they are to be developed to the utmost.

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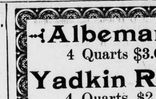

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Truth.

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Climbing up the hills of time;
Struggling ever onward, upward,
With a faith and trust sublime.
Little hands are sure and sinless
Naught of sorrow, wrong or ruth;
In their hearts are love and kindness,
On their lips, the "pearl of Truth."

Some can never reach the hill-tops,
Feet grow weary, folded hands,
Some will catch no glorious manhood,
Some will see the sunset lands.
Forth to conquer, dauntless soldier,
While your brow is flushed with youth
Grasp the sword of love and mercy,
Hold the shining breast plate, Truth

When the storms of life break over you,
When you feel the chilling blast,
And you're bent and bruised and broken;
Life seems slipping from your grasp,
Keep your faith, O Christian Soldier!
What is sorrow here? Foretold!
After darkness comes the morning
Light and God's eternal Truth.

UNCLE BILLY
Buckingham, Va.

Buckingham.

A respectable colored man named John Mitchell sold a load of tobacco in Farmville and was paid some sixty-odd dollars more than his tobacco come to and he came here and requested one of our merchants to go 'phone to Farmville and tell the warehouse men he had the money and was ready to return it when called on.

Miss Juliet Scott and her sister went up from Richmond during the epidemic of measles at the Farmville Normal School to nurse the prients and it seems that the girls who had measles in some instances had some affection of the ears and that Miss Juliet Scott became infected by contact and on consulting Dr. Morrison, of Lynchburg was told that hers was a very serious case and the Doctor advised her to remain in Lynchburg for treatment, which she did and when last heard from she was very ill. Miss Scott is a daughter of our esteemed county treas. Mr. Charles Scott, who lives near Howardsville.

Miss Hallie P. Haskins had a birth-day party on the 12th instant and was assisted in entertaining by Miss Mary G. Glover.

The teachers of the High School will arrange an interesting program for the school final and will have the use of a new piano in their musical exercises.

Mrs. James Forbes, who came here to have her children at school, has broken out with the measles.

Dr. E. G. Morriss has had several cases of pneumonia on his hands the past week.

Mr. P. M. Jones, of Sheppards has been very low the past week.

The legislature appropriated $20,000 to establish another elemosynary institution for the negroes.

Mr. Douglas Shoemaker, a veteran of the war died at the home of his son on the 12th inst, in his 84th year. He was in the first fight of the war at Rich Mountain and he remained in the service until April 9th, 1865.

The legislature has provided extra pension money for the surviving veterans and they are getting few and fewer in numbers and ere long there will be none to pension.

I heard a group of men discussing the various candidates for gubernatorial honors and Stuart and Tucker seemed in the lead.

The editor of the "Virginian" in last week's issue commented on Senator Wickham's remarks about Judge Rhea making the 9th district hopelessly Republican and I think the language the Senator used was too strong, at the same time I think the 26 Democrats who voted against confirmation had the courage of their convictions and voted as their consciences dictated. The fact that Judge W. H. Mann voted for confirmation is already being used against him and I do not know that this is exactly fair, at any rate I think that Mr. Glass was right when he, as one of the candidates, declared that he would not make use of any such charge as this in making his canvass. Some people are saying however that the organized wing, or to use their language "The Ring" in the Democratic party will support Mann, for the very reason that he stood by Judge Rhea. Judge Mann in his last canvass for the nomination for governor was strong as an advocate of temperance, or prohibition if you like, but speaker Bird seems to have carried off the honors in the matter of the new law on the liquor question.

Mrs Sue C. Gibson died in Richmond on the 12th and her remains were taken to Charlotte Court House for interment, by the side of her husband, Mr. Benjamin Gibson. Mrs. Gibson before her marriage was Miss Sue Moore, of Charlotte. She leaves 2 children and 4 grand children

Winginia.

Mrs. S. C. Gibson died in Richmond Thursday evening after a long illness. She was a beautiful christian and bore her sickness with great fortitude and resignation. She was loved by all who knew her, and will be greatly missed in the neighborhood. Her remains were taken to Lynchburg for burial.

Mr. George Cunningham is quite sick at his home.

Mrs Chas Horsley is much better after a severe spell of grippe.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Horsley has been very sick, but is much better.

Mr. Henry Taylor, of Travelers Rest, has regained his health considerably and is well enough to go to farming this spring.

Wheat crops are backward, but the last few bright days have brought it out considerably. The farmers are very much behind in their work, very little plowing being done, and few oats sowed.

Madisonville.

Misses Lucile Jennings and Mary Thornton, who have been confined to the house with measles, are out again.

Dr. Luken was called in this week to see Mr. W. T. Marshall's little son, Sprague, who has been sick for several days.

Mr. W. S. Pugh is having an addition put to his store by Messrs. Brown and Evans.

Mr. Homer Deaner is extremely ill with pneumonia.

Misses Carrie Hix and Janie Pugh spent Friday night and Saturday at the home of Mr. R. C. Price.

Mr. W. S. Pugh was in Lynchburg this week on business.

Honor Roll for our school—Eddie Crawley, Walter Garrison, Thomas R. Pugh, Jr., George Ramsey, Verlina Crawley, Irene Pugh, Lucile Ramsey and Gay Pugh.

To the Democrats of the Tenth Congressional District.

At a meeting of the Democratic District Committee held this, the 10th day of March, 1908, it was determined to hold a primary election on Tuesday, June 9th, 1908, from sunrise to sunset, for the purpose of nominating a candidate to represent the 10th district in the 61st Congress.

Those desiring to become candidates must file their names with the district chairman by noon of April 9th, and each candidate must pay to the district chairman on or before that date the sum of three hundred dollars to help defray the expenses of the said primary.

JOSEPH HUTTON,
Chairman Tenth District Committee.

Happy thought: One year from now we will be pretty well over the effects of inauguration day

Senator Foraker did not attend the Ohio Republican convention but the convention appears to have attended to him all the same.

The election of Senator Foraker to membership in the down-and-out club seems to be unanimous. Defending Brownsville coons is bad business.

Our navy is being criticised, but as long as our war ships are able to keep the armor line above the water and the guns working, it will be all right, won't it.

APPOMATTOX.

INTERESTING STORIES ABOUT HOME FOLKS.

Our Correspondents relate the News of the County.

Bent Creek.

Farmers in this community with one or two exceptions have about finished selling tobacco. All seem well satisfied with the prices received, and are making preparations for another crop much larger than the one just sold.

The roads continue to be bad, and while I am on that subject I have a question to ask you. When a church is situated no far from the public road is it lawful for the wagoners to abandon the public road and drive right at the church steps, thereby cutting up the road to the church so that it is almost impossible to drive a light vehicle through it?

Mr. and Mrs. John Cunningham have moved from Lynchburg to this place. They will occupy the house formerly owned by J. S. Burks.

Mrs. Cunningham has lots of relatives and friends in this community who are glad to welcome her back.

Mrs. W. A. Wells has been very ill at the home of her father, Mr. Richard Phelps. She is better at this writing.

Mrs. Sam Cunningham and two children were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wells last week.

Mr. W. D. Marks is in Lynchburg on the Federal jury this week.

George Dixon, a young man of many sterling qualities left his home in Buckingham 28 or 30 years ago. He wrote to his home people regularly for some time, when he ceased to write all togeth er. After a long, weary waiting for some tidings of him and none came, they gave him up for dead. The first week in March a Richmond paper published a letter written to the Mayor of that city begging him to help an orphan girl: find her father's people. The letter was written from Harrisonburg, Ga., and see med to leave no doubt that she was the daughter of George H. Dixon who left his home in Virginia in his boyhood days. He died Feb. 22nd, 1908 and is survived by four orphan children in Georgia, an aged mother, two sisters and one brother in Virginia.

Misses Maggie Phelps and Mary Wooldridge returned from Lynchburg last Thursday.

Glenfall.

Winter with its frosty air and drifting snow is now a thing of the past.

Frequent rains have retarded farm work. Very little plowing has been done. The crop of tobacco has been sold, and while the prices were far ahead of last year's crop, yet who will admit that they were well paid for the strenuous labor the troublesome weed requires. No oats have been sowed, in fact, very little farm work has been done.

Public schools are rapidly drawing to a close. The late law passed for pensioning the teachers will, I suppose, fill them with inspiration. We who are not "in it" are "pursuing the even tenor of our way," not the least envious, for surely, those who have endured the "bitter" deserve the "sweet."

The letter from Dinwiddie savors of one who is wide awake, and keeps abreast of the times. Fearless and forcible, ably are calculated to keep all classes. Long may his banner wave.

Rev. Mr. Allison preached a good sermon at Liberty Chapel yesterday. He will remain with his people another year, much to the delight of everyone.

Can't you, Mr. Editor, arouse our Hebron correspondent from her Rip Van Winkle sleep? We hear rumors from that point but we know no reason why we should be deprived the pleasure of the most entertaining letters. I hope there will be no objection to this bouquet.

Concord.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ould entertained a number of their friends on Thursday evening in honor of Misses Kate and Willie Cardwell, in their beautiful and hospitable home here. The spacious parlor and dining room were artistically decorated, the color scheme being pink and white, which was very effectively carried out.

Those assisting the charming hostess in receiving were the Misses Cardwell, who very gracefully performed their duties. The Misses Cardwell rendered several beautiful selections on the piano and various games were indulged in until 11:30 when supper was announced and the guests were invited to partake of a delicious repast which was gracefully served by Mrs. M. J. Price, assisted by Mrs. S. B. Carson and Mrs. W. B. Jett. The dining room looked like a scene from "fairy land," the handsome silver and cut glass shining and sparkling amid the profusion of potted plants while the soft glow from many shaded lamps lent an added charm to the scene.

Those present were Misses Kate, Willie and Rena Cardwell, Zelma Carson, Grace Cross, Nellie Abbott, Lucile Cardwell, Lilian Evans, Beatrice Bryant, Devonia and Lanie Staples, Josie Flood, Nannie and Lizzie Evans, Jean Howerton, Lizzie Staples, Jeanie Wilson, Helen Hildreth, Mae Bondurant, of Lynchburg. Jesse and Johnnie Martin, S. B. Carson, Lem Steele, Lawrence Franklin, Bayle and Ment Carson, Richard Cross, Andrin Martin, J. G. Fisher, R. L. Staples, Travis Cardwell, Frank Abbott, Thornhill Caldwell, Herbert Cardwell, C. D. Scruggs, W. C. Akers. Mrs. W. B. Jett, Mrs M. J. Price, Mrs S. B. Carson.

The Arlington Monument.

Richmond, Va. March 2, 1908. Confederate Daughters of Virginia:

The Arlington Confederate Monument Association in now reorganized under the direction of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, with an executive committee located in Washington, D. C.

A delegation was sent from Washington November last, to our general convention at Norfolk, to ask the Daughters of the Confederacy to take charge and raise the money required to complete the noble work.

We accepted the sacred obligation, so every State that has an organization of the Daughters of the Confederacy has selected a director whose duty it is to collect funds to this end. She will be assisted by an efficient committee of women, well acquainted with the history of our glorious cause and with hearts and hands ready to assist any emergency. You can choose your own way to raise the money, and you can suggest, with your experience, your environment and location, better than any one else can know. So the work will go on until the necessary amount is raised.

Our State President has honored me with this position (I hope I will do my whole duty). I appeal to the Confederate Daughters of Virginia only to be as they have always been, patriotic, brave and faithful. So I will trust Virginia's reputation to her daughters, who have always been true.

If I can serve you in any way let me know, and it will be my pleasure to do all in my power for you.

Respectfully,
Mrs. THOS. S. BOCOCK,
Director for Virginia of Arlington Monument Association,

The days of the little Presidential boom are numbered.

Business appears to be reviving everywhere except in Congress.

The poets are doing their best to induce the weather bureau to believe that spring has come.

King Alfonso gets almost as many tips on plots to assassinate him as some men do on the races.

Emma Goldman swears she will speak in spite of the entire Chicago police force. Being a woman she doubtless will.

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